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Attorney Docket No. 2870

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

GEIDL

Group Art Unit: 2173

Serial No. 09/976,188

Examiner: ZHOU

Filed: October 12, 2001

For: In-Place Adaptive Handwriting Input  
Method and System

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

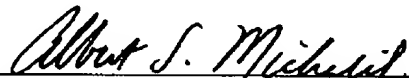
**PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), the undersigned attorney, on behalf of the applicants, hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to and including November 25, 2005, to file an Amendment in response to the Office communication dated July 25, 2005, which carried an original response date of October 25, 2005.

The extension fee in the amount of \$120.00 and any additional fee which may be due or any other charges in connection with the submission of the response should be charged to the credit card number listed on the Credit Card Payment Form.

Respectfully submitted,



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